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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: Pat A. Bolen, et al.

GAU: 2833

Serial No: 10/721,168

Examiner: Harvey, James R.

Filed: November 26, 2003

For: Flexible Flat Cable Termination Structure For A Clockspring

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required
- ☐ This application qualifies for small entity status. 37 C.F.R. §1.27.
- ☒ Additional documents filed herewith: Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

Claims	Claims Remaining	Highest Number Prev. Paid		Number of Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total	10	10	-20	0	\$50	\$0.00
Independent	2	2	-3	0	\$200	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims					\$360	\$0.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS						\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity						\$0.00
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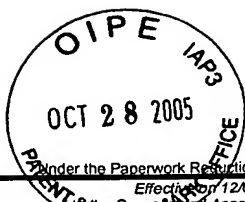
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**FEE TRANSMITTAL**  
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$) 790.00

**Complete if Known**

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**FEE CALCULATION**

**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

**Total Claims**      -20 or HP = \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_  
HP=highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20  
**Indep. Claims**      -3 or HP = \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_  
HP=highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

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**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)  
Other: Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal  
**Fees Paid (\$)** 790.00

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